a client application that can detect states in the client computer and transmit the detected states to the monitoring computer unit via the network system to permit detection of an unauthorized software program or unauthorized behavior within the client computer unit.

4.   (Amended)   A method of real time monitoring and control of networked computers, comprising:

providing a monitoring computer unit and client computer unit both capable of being communicatively coupled to a network system; and

detecting states in the client computer unit and transmitting the detected states to the monitoring computer unit via the network system to permit detection of an unauthorized software program or unauthorized behavior within the client computer unit.

REMARKS

No new matter is being added by virtue of the amendment to the claims.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned **"VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE."**

Favorable action is respectfully requested.

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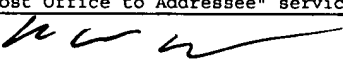DEGUZMAN OKAMOTO & BENEDICTO LLP
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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 4 as shown below:

1.   (Amended)   A system of real time monitoring and control of networked computers, comprising:

a monitoring computer unit capable of being communicatively coupled to a network system; and

a client computer unit capable of being communicatively coupled to the network system, the client computer including a client application that can detect states in the client computer and transmit the detected states to the monitoring computer unit via the network system <u>to permit detection of an unauthorized software program or unauthorized behavior within the client computer unit</u>.

4.   (Amended)   A method of real time monitoring and control of networked computers, comprising:

providing a monitoring computer unit and client computer unit both capable of being communicatively coupled to a network system; and

detecting states in the client computer <u>unit</u> and transmitting the detected states to the monitoring computer unit via the network system <u>to permit detection of an unauthorized software program or unauthorized behavior within the client computer unit</u>.